

Steering Committee Phone Survey and Welcome Call

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Name:		
Organization:		

Did you receive your information packet regarding the project and are you planning to attend the Steering Committee Meeting on March 17th?

- a. Packet:
- b. Attendance:
- 1. What are your thoughts on the idea of developing a trail tracing the route of Lewis and Clark along the Missouri River through lowa?
- 2. What kind of benefits do you see for either yourself or your organization coming out of the development of such a trail network?
- 3. What concerns if any do you have regarding the project?

General Comments

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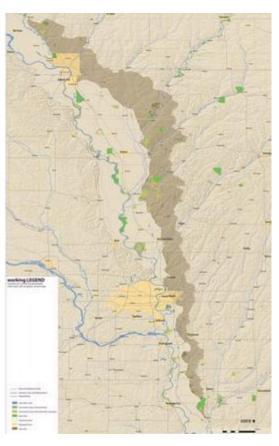
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Park b. Indian Cave State		\bigcirc	
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c. Lake Manawa State Park	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
d. Hitchcock Nature Area	0	0	0
e. Wilson Island	O	Q	O
f. DeSoto Bend	O	O	O
g. Fontenelle Forest	O	O	O
h. Boyer Chute National Wildlife Refuge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
i. Loess Hills State Park	\bigcirc	0	\circ
j. Lewis and Clark State Park (Iowa)	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
k. Stone State Park			
I. Ponca State Park	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
m. Loess Hills Scenic Byway	0	0	0
n. Arbor Lodge	O	Q	O
o. Wabash Trace Nature Trail	\circ	\circ	\circ
p. Bob Kerrey Pedestrian Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

	1 Never Visited	2 Visited, but not in last year	3 Visited in the last year
a. Union PacificRailroad Museum(Council Bluffs)	\bigcirc		\circ
b. Shenandoah Historical Society Museum	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
c. Harrison County Historical Village	\bigcirc		0
(Missouri Valley) d. Indian Creek Historical Museum	\bigcirc		\circ
(Hastings) e. Loess Hills Historical Museum (Onawa)	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
f. Museum of Religious Arts (Logan)	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
g. Plymouth County Historical Museum (Le Mars)	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
h. Sioux City Public Museum (Sioux City)	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
i. Sioux City Art Center		\bigcirc	\bigcirc
j. Wisecup Farm Museum (Missouri Valley)	\bigcirc		\bigcirc
k. Bertrand Museum (DeSoto Wildlife Refuge)	\bigcirc		0
I. Carsten Memorial Farm	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
m. General Dodge House – Council Bluffs		0	0
n. Nishna Valley Museum – Oakland	<u> </u>	0	<u> </u>
o. International Harvester Museum - Avoca	\bigcirc	O	\circ

a. Hamburg, Iowa	1 Never Visited	2 Visited, but not in last year	3 Visited in the last year
b. Glenwood, Iowa	Ŏ	Ŏ	Ŏ
c. Council Bluffs, Iowa			Ō
d. Missouri Valley, Iowa	0	0	\bigcirc
e. Onawa, Iowa	\bigcirc	O	O
f. Sioux City, Iowa	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
g. Le Mars, Iowa	\bigcirc		\bigcirc
h. Brownville, Nebraska	0	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
i. Auburn, Nebraska	O		Ō
j. Nebraska City, Nebraska	0	0	\circ
k. Plattsmouth, Nebraska	0	0	0
I. Bellevue, Nebraska	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	$\bigcup_{i=1}^{n}$
m. Omaha, Nebraska	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
n. Blair, Nebraska	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
o. Tekamah, Nebraska	O	\bigcirc	O
p. Omaha Tribe Reservation, Nebraska q. Winnebago Tribe Reservation, Nebraska	0	0	0
r. South Sioux City, Nebraska	\bigcirc		

Usage



7. During the last year, how many times have you traveled in or visited destinations outside of your hometown in the Lewis and Clark Trail study area for pleasure and/or recreation?

- O a. 0
- O b. 1-2
- O c. 3-5
- d. More than 5

	1 Never Visited	2 Visited, but not in last year	3 Visited in the last yea
a. Missouri River Basin Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center	1 Never Visited	2 visited, but not in last year	3 Visited III the last yea
(Nebraska City) b. Western Historic Trails Center (Council	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Bluffs) c. Lewis and Clark Keelboat Display	\bigcirc		\bigcirc
(Lewis and Clark State Park, Onawa)			
d. Sergeant Floyd Monument (Sioux City)	\bigcirc		\bigcirc
e. Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center	\circ		\bigcirc
(Sioux City) f. Lewis and Clark Monument - Council	\bigcirc	0	\circ
Bluffs g. South side of Lake Manawa	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Historic Trail Headquarters - Omaha Riverfront			

Personal Trail Needs
9. If you are a bicyclist, which of the following best describes you?
a. I am not a cyclist and am not likely to be one.
b. I am comfortable riding on any legal road, regardless of traffic volume
c. I am comfortable riding on most roads with low to medium traffic levels, and sharing the road with motorists
d. I am comfortable riding on roads with shoulders or other separation from motor vehicles
e. I am uncomfortable sharing the road with cars, and prefer separated trails

Personal Trail Needs b. Paved sidepath a. Paved multi-use trail c. Unpaved multi-use trail e. Paved road shoulder f. Paved bike lanes g. Boardwalk 10. As a potential Lewis and Clark trail user, please rate how well each of the facilities illustrated here meets your needs as a pedestrian or cyclist. 1 Does not meet 5 Meets needs needs very well a. Paved multi-use trail b. Paved sidepath c. Unpaved multi-use d. Unpaved nature trail or single-track trail e. Paved road shoulder f. Paved bike lanes g. Boardwalk

a. Extremely likely	
b. Very likely	
c. Probably	
d. Unlikely but not impossible	
e. Not likely	

	1 Not Important	network.	3	4	5 Extremely
a. Canoe trails and		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	Important
launching points b. Bicycle trails		\bigcirc			
c. Nature trails for hiking only					
d. Road improvements such as shoulders for cyclists	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
e. Snowmobile and winter sports trails	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
f. Equestrian trails	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
g. Trailheads with restrooms, parking, information	Ŏ	Ö	Ö	Ŏ	Ŏ
h. Signage and directional information	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
i. More campgrounds	\bigcirc			\bigcirc	
j. Bike and equipment rentals	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
k. More lodging, including bed and breakfast inns	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
I. Trailside or nearby restaurants and cafes	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
m. Other tourist services and shops	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
n. ATV trails and parks	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
o. Outfitters					\bigcirc
p. Bike shops	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
q. Snowmobile trails					
Other (please specify)	_		_		

	1 Trail would not produce this	2	3	4	5 Trail would certainly produ
a. Rural economic	benefit	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	this benefit
development b. Community			0		0
economic development c. More tourism		\bigcap			
d. More things that families could do together	Ŏ	Ö	Ŏ	Ŏ	Ö
e. Attraction of new residents to the area	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
f. Higher quality of life	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
g. Educational opportunities	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
h. Improved health	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
i. Individual recreation					
j. Habitat conservation 14. Do you knov	=	_	iful route tha	ot should be	e included in
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Demographic Information	
16. How old are you?	
a. Under 14	
O b. 15-24	
C. 25-34	
Od. 35-49	
e. 50-64	
f. 65-74	
g. Over 75	
17. How many people live in your household?	
a. 1	
O b. 2	
C. 3-4	
d. 5-6	
e. Over 6	
18. How many people under the age of 12 live in your household?	
O a. 1	
O b. 2	
c. 3	
O d. 4	
e. More than 4	

19. Where do you live?
a. Omaha/Council Bluffs metro area
b. Sioux City metro area
c. Fremont County, Iowa
d. Mills County, Iowa
e. Pottawattamie County, Iowa (other than Council Bluffs)
f. Harrison County, Iowa
g. Monona County, Iowa
h. Woodbury County, Iowa
i. Plymouth County, Iowa
j. Elsewhere in Iowa
k. Richardson or Nemaha County Nebraska
I. Cass or Otoe County, Nebraska
m. Washington or Burt County, Nebraska
n. Thurston or Dakota County, Nebraska
o. Elsewhere in Nebraska
Other State (please specify)



Comments

What should it be named?

Additional Comments

The territory that this trail passes through includes two unique and exquisitely subtle environments: the "Bluffs," one of the world's two formations of windblown loess hills; and the valley formed by the shifting channel of the meandering Missouri River along with the great waterway itself, known regionally as the "Bottoms." Both environments are already marked by scenic routes generally devoted to the automobile — the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail with its parallel auto route and the Loess Hills Scenic Byway. The committee suggested naming a unique trail that both explores and links these two environments the "Bluffs and Bottoms Trail," honoring both Lewis and Clark's search for knowledge and their drive to explore all aspects of this distinctive area and local traditions. The name is also alliterative and easy to abbreviate as the "BBT."

The steering committee would like your input on the naming of the trail, please select from one of the following names, or provide us with your suggestion.

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Lewis & Clark Trail	Bluffs & Bottoms Trail

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Please provide us with your contact information below. Name E-mail Street City/State/Zip

Would you like to be kept informed on project developments, or volunteer to be on a long-range steering committee for the Lewis & Clark Trail?



Yes

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No



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